



English Communication Skills- Class 7th

Practice sheet 1

Lesson: Rent for Water



Listening practice

Listen to the audio carefully and fill in the blanks with correct options.

Audio: **The farmer had understood..... his dishonesty.**

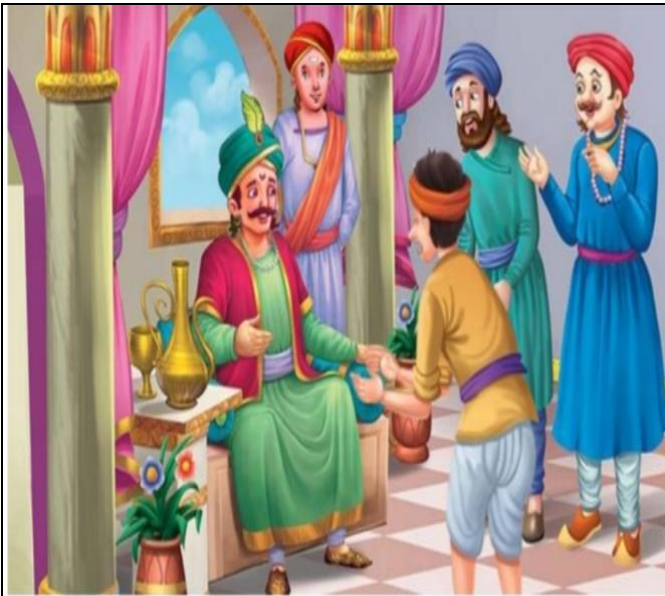
1. **The farmer had understood that he would get _____.
a. punishment b. reward c. justice**
2. **Tenali Raman said to the man, "You should pay the _____ to the farmer."
a. gold coin b. silver coin c. rent**
3. **The man must pay _____ gold coins as rent to the farmer .
a. three b. two c. one**
4. **The man will pay for..... his water in the well.
a. drawing out b. drinking c. keeping**
5. **The farmer will pay you _____ coin for drawing out water.
a. one gold b. one silver c. three silver**
6. **King Krishna Dev Rai started..... .
a. laughing b. smiling c. jumping**
7. **Tenali Raman had solved the _____ situation.
a. simple b. complex c. tricky**
8. **Tenali Raman had done _____ too.
a. injustice b. justice c. nothing**
9. **Tenali Raman proved that..... is not good.
a. greed b. ego c. anger**
10. **Tenali Raman punished the neighbour for his _____.
a. honesty b. dishonesty c. theft**

Speaking Practice

1. The teacher will ask these questions to the students.

- i.** Who is your best friend?
- ii.** Who do you live with?
- iii.** How many languages can you speak?
- iv.** How many siblings do you have?
- v.** Who is your ideal freedom fighter?

2. Speak at least five sentences describing the picture with the help of given words/phrases:



- courtroom
- king listen to complaints
- the man and the farmer takes issue
- the farmer narrates everything interesting problem
- Tenali Raman
- sold well but not water well belongs to the farmers.
- water belongs to the man



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Practice sheet 2

Lesson: Birbal's Khichdi



Listening practice

Listen to the audio carefully and fill in the blanks with correct options.

Audio text: **The King asked the Brahmin.....reward.**

1. The King asked the brahmin, "How could you stand in the _____ pond?"
a. frozen b. warm c. hot
2. The brahmin replied, "I could see _____ glowing lights of the Palace a mile away."
a. brightly b. faintly c. strongly
3. That was a ray of _____ for me.
a. hope b. disappointment c. happiness
4. I kept _____ at the lights and thinking about my .
a. parents b. family c. children
5. Akbar suddenly became _____.
a. soft b. stern c. disappointed
6. Akbar said harshly, " Oh brahmin , you have _____ me."
a. loved b. cheated c. hated
7. I will not give you any _____.
a. reward b. punishment c. many
8. You looked at the lights.
a. glowing b. palace c. modern
9. You got _____ from the lights.
a. coldness b. warmth c. heat
10. You do not _____ the reward.
a. deserve b. want c. take

Speaking Practice

1. The teacher will ask these questions to the students and the students will speak the answers .
 - i. Where do you live?
 - ii. What is your favourite subject?
 - iii. Which is your favourite food?
 - iv. What is your mother tongue?
 - v. How many friends do you have?
2. Speak at least five sentences on the picture with the help of the given words/phrases.



- Akbar's court
- Birbal did not go
- king sent messenger
- cooking khichdi
- Birbal did not turn up
- emperor went himself
- pot one yard above the fire
- stirred the pot
- Birbal's reply
- Akbar realised his mistake



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Practice sheet 3

Lesson: A Glass of Milk



Listening practice

Listen to the audio carefully and fill in the blanks with correct options.

Audio text :Boy: **My name is Howard.....**

Lady: **How much does the book cost?**

1. **The name of the boy is Howard**
a. Kale b. Kevin c. Kelly
2. **You should be in school and not selling**
a. books b. things c. notebook
3. **I need to _____ for my fee.**
a. pay b. find c. look
4. **Can I get some _____ ,please?**
a. water b. save c. earn
5. **You are so _____ .**
a. weak b. strong c. dull
6. **It appears you haven't eaten for _____.**
a. a week b. days c. a month
7. **How much do I _____ you for the milk?**
a. lend b. pay c. owe
8. **My mother has taught me not to accept for a deed of kindness.**
a. things b. payment c. money
9. **Let me buy a _____ from you.**
a. thing b. book c. notebook
10. **How much does the book _____?**
a. cost b. weigh c. help

Speaking Practice

1. The teacher will ask these questions to the students.

- i. Do you have a pet?
- ii. What are you good at?
- iii. What efforts do you make to do better in your studies?
- iv. Who helps you in your studies after school hours?
- v. How do you celebrate festivals?

2. Speak at least five sentences on the picture with the help of the given words/phrases.



- city hospital
- doctors
- difficult case
- diagnose
- patient a woman
- food poisoning
- immediate surgery
- saves life
- bill to be paid in two days
- something written on the bill



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Practice sheet 4

Lesson: Mountaineers



Listening practice

Listen to the audio carefully and fill in the blanks with correct options.

Audio text : **Mount Everest.....1965 Everest Expedition.**

1. Mount Everest is the highest point on the

- a. peak b. planet c. mountain

2. Reaching Mount Everest peak is a ____ achievement.

- a. highest b. greatest c. once -in -a -lifetime

3. This kind of feat requires ____ funds.

- a. huge b. less c. no

4. The first people to summit Mount Everest were ____ and Sir Edmind Hillary

- a. Captain Avtar Singh Cheema b. Tenzing Norgay c. Sir George Everest

5. Captain Avtar was promoted to the post of a ____.

- a. Lieutenant b. Colonel. c. Major

6. He was the person in the world to scale the peak

- a. 14th b. 15th c. 16th

7. Mr Cheema was a part of the third Indian expedition in led by Commander..... .

- a. MS Kapoor b. MS Kohli c. MS Dhoni

8. Cheema and Kohli were felicitated with ____ award.

- a. Arjuna b. Dronacharya c. Bheem

9. Kohli was given Nishan-e-Khalsa by the ____ government.

- a. Punjab b. Delhi c. Haryana

10. A ____ stamp was dedicated to the success of the 1965 Everest expedition.

- a. special b. official c. postage

Speaking Practice

1. The teacher will ask these questions to the students.

- i. Do you like singing songs?
- ii. Who is your favourite singer?
- iii. Have you ever helped anyone?
- iv. How do you feel when you help someone?
- v. Which outdoor game/ games do you like to play?

2. Speak at least five sentences on the picture with the help of the given words/phrases:



- Mountain peak
- Highest point
- extremely dangerous
- huge funds
- tough training
- good luck
- first people to climb
- first Indian to summit
- 'death zone'
- distance to be covered in less than a day



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Speaking Practice

1. **The teacher will ask these questions to the students and the students will speak the answers .**
 - i. How many members are there in your family?
 - ii. What is the qualification of your mother?
 - iii. What does your father do ?
 - iv. What does your mother do in the morning?
 - v. How do you help your parents?
2. **Speak at least five sentences on 'A Clown' with the help of the given words/phrases.**



- wears makeup-face
- flamboyant costume
- baggy clothes
- mouth and eyes outlined with white
- red nose
- makes everyone laugh
- oversized shoes
- performs tricks
- behaves in a silly manner
- also a mime artist

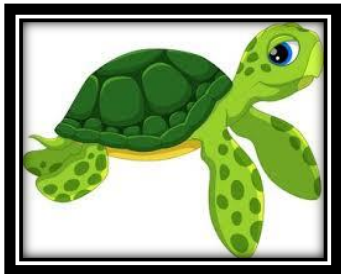


Speaking Practice

1. The teacher will ask these questions to the students and the students will speak the answers.

- i. Do you study late at night?
- ii. When do you get up?
- iii. Do you spend time with your grandparents?
- iv. What do you do after school?
- v. Who helps you in your studies at home?

2. Speak at least five sentences on the picture with the help of the given words/phrases



- treasure map
- hunt for treasure
- forest
- dense and dark
- mountains
- tall and craggy
- met different birds and animals
- crossed desert and ocean
- found friendship
- greatest treasure



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Lesson: A Hole in the Fence



Listening practice

Listen to the audio carefully and fill in the blanks with correct options.

Audio text: **Finally the day came..... given with a knife.**

1. Finally the boy did not _____ his temper.

- a. lose b. loose c. lost

2. He had not hammered any _____ into the fence.

- a. clip b. nail c. screw

3. The father gave him one more _____ to do.

- a. chance b. task c. work

4. He asked the boy to _____ out one nail for each day.

- a. pull b. push c. hammer

5. Finally all the nails were _____ .

- a. struck b. gone c. lost

6. The father led the little boy to the _____ .

- a. field b. frame c. fence

7. The fence will never be the _____ again .

- a. same b. different c. similar

8. When you say things in anger, they leave a _____ .

- a. bruise b. scar c. wound

9. No matter how many times you say _____ , the wound will always be there .

- a. 'please' b. 'thank you' c. 'sorry'

10. A wound given with your _____ is as bad as one given with a knife.

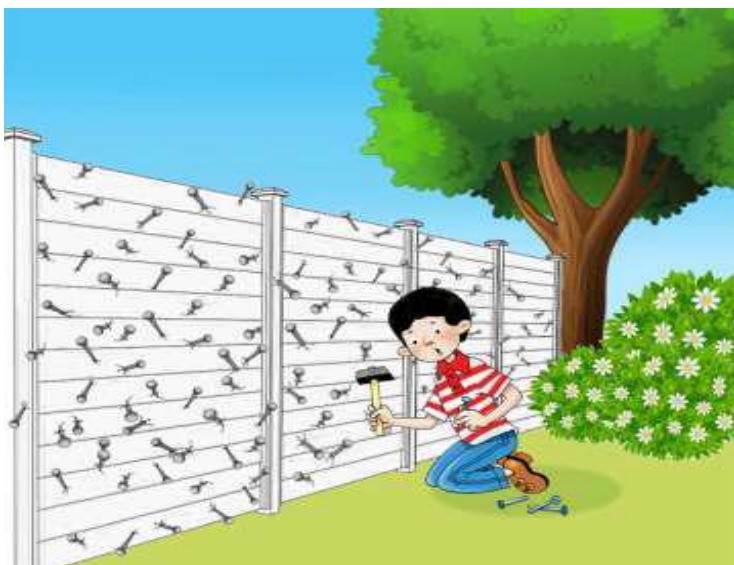
- a. speech b. words c. language

Speaking Practice

1. The teacher will ask these questions to the students and the students will speak the answer.

- i. How do you help your mother at home?
- ii. What do you do to save nature?
- iii. How was your day?
- iv. What do you do to stop the wastage of water?
- v. Do you help your siblings in your studies?

2. Speak at least five sentences on the given picture with the help of the given words/phrases.



- bad tempered boy
- an idea
- bag of nails and a hammer
- hammered nails into the fence
- more task
- pulled out nails
- all nails gone
- able to hold temper
- many holes
- fence was not same
- wound given by words
- as bad as knife wound



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Lesson: Hachiko- The World's Most Loyal Dog



Listening Practice

Listen to the audio carefully and fill in the blanks with correct options:

AUDIO TEXT: (Hachiko, the dog was..... at the same time)

1. **Hachiko, the dog was more than just a pet.....**
a) animal b) pat c) pet
2. **He was a true**
a) friend b) companion c) mate
3. **Hachiko wouldhis human friend, his master.**
a) greet b) receive c) meet
4. **A golden-brown ofbreed.**
a) Azawakh b) Akita c) Aussie flat
5. **Hachiko was born in a in Japan .**
a) farm b) house c) town
6. **Professor Hidesaburo UenoHachiko**
a) bought b) taught c) adopted
7. **Shibuya is a small town in the neighbourhood of**
a) Hokkaido b) Osaka c) Tokyo
8. **The professor taught in the Tokyo Imperial**
a) College b) University c) Department
9. **The professor would walk to the railway station .**
a) Shibuya b) Tokyo c) Hokkaido
10. **The dog would also go with him to see his master take the..... to work .**
a) train b) bus c) trolley

Speaking Practice

1. The teacher will ask the following questions and students will speak the answers:

- a) Do you have a pet?
- b) What is the name of your pet?
- c) How do you greet your teachers?
- d) Is there any park in your locality?
- e) Which is your favourite animal?

2. Speak at least five sentences on this picture with the help of given words:



- Hachiko, the dog
- true companion
- loyal and faithful
- golden brown
- Akita breed
- born on Nov 10, 1923
- adopted by a professor
- sees his master taking the train
- waits for his master
- accompanies him
- same routine everyday
- professor dies
- waited for years
- became a symbol of loyalty and faith



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